Digital Video Recorder (DVR) Functions

Quick Ways to Set a DVR Timer

GUIDE

Program Guide

Highlight a future program in the Guide, press the SELECT button, and choose your recording options from the on-screen menu or press the RECORD button.

SEARCH

Search Menu

Press SEARCH and follow the on-screen instructions to locate a program you want to record, then choose your settings.

Note: The Channel Master CM-7000PAL DVR still records your programs when the receiver is tuned off.

Device Codes

TV: ___ ___ ___ ___

VCR/DVD: ___ ___ ___ ___

See the User Guide for a list of device codes.

AUX: ___ ___ ___ ___

Troubleshooting

Signal Issues

- Verify the coax cable to the over-the-air antenna IN port is hand-tight and connected to your over-the-air antenna.
- Verify your antenna has not been moved out of proper alignment. This can cause signal loss on some or all channels.
- Reset the receiver by first powering it off, then unplugging it from the outlet for 15 seconds, and plugging it back in. Power the receiver back on.
- Check the signal strength on your channels. Using the remote control, press MENU, select Setup, System Setup, Channel Setup, then Add a New Channel. Find the channel in question and verify that it has a strong signal. Channels showing signal strength below 60 may experience signal loss.

Missing Channel

- The Channel Master CM-7000PAL DVR is only able to tune to digital channels and therefore will not tune to a channel that is still broadcasting in analog.
- Visit www.antennaweb.org to find out which channels in your area are broadcasting in digital or analog.
- To tune to an analog channel using your analog TV, press the ANALOG PASS-THRU button on the remote control, then tune to the channel using your TV's remote control.

Remote Control Issues

- Press the pal button; it should illuminate. For another device that isn't responding, press that device's MODE button (for example, press TV to control a TV).
- Replace batteries with four new alkaline AAA batteries. Be sure the batteries are installed as indicated on the diagram inside the battery compartment.
- To program your remote control for another device, refer to the User Guide.

DVR Issues

- Verify event timers are set as DVR timers, not as Auto-Tune timers.
- If you run out of space on the DVR, unprotected events are erased, starting with the oldest. Protect those you want to keep.

For Additional Information

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User Guide

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Channel Master®

CM-7000PAL DVR

Digital Video Recorder (DVR) & HDTV Over-the-Air Receiver

QUICK START GUIDE

Connection & Set-Up

1 Connect the antenna to the receiver.

OVER THE AIR ANTENNA IN

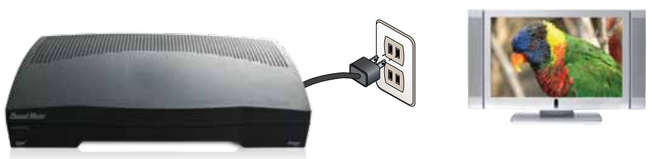
Channel Master antenna not included.

Visit www.channelmaster.com.

CM-2016 Outdoor Antenna

Connect the receiver to the TV.*

2 Plug the receiver power cord into a wall outlet, turn on the TV, and select the correct input.



3 Install batteries in the remote control.

The Setup Wizard appears. Follow the on-screen instructions using the remote control.

***HDMI or component video cables (not included) are recommended when connecting the receiver to an HDTV.**
See the User Guide for installation instructions.

Features of Your Remote Control

To use most of the features listed here, make sure you are in Receiver mode by pressing the pal button

DVR Mode
Press to control your Channel Master CM-7000PAL DVR, TV power, volume and mute

TV Mode
Press to control your TV

VCR Mode
Press to control your VCR or DVD player

DVR Power & TV Power
Top button turns the receiver on/off, bottom button turns the TV on/off

Analog Pass-Thru Mode
Press to control analog signal pass-thru

AUX Mode
Press to control another component such as a DVD player

DVR Menu
Access receiver features and settings

Page Buttons
Page up/down in menus and control zoom size

Search
Search for programs

Program Guide
Display current and future program listings

Recall
Go back to last channel viewed

Arrows/Selects Buttons
Channel up/down navigate through menus/guides, and select a desired option

Info
Display program information

View Live TV
Exit any menu/guide and go back to viewing live TV

Recover
Recovers DTV programming if your TV input or channel has changed

Digital Video Recorder (DVR) Buttons
Pause live TV and play or record programming

CC
Closed Captioning functions

System Info
Displays information about your receiver

Number Buttons
Enter a channel number, or select menu items

SAP
Switch to secondary audio programming

Zoom
Changes how the picture fills the screen

Note: to control a TV, VCR, or other component, the remote control must first be programmed. See the User Guide for details.

Easy Ways to Find a Program

Select a program from the Program Guide.

Program Guide

Channel Up/Down one program at a time.

Find and play a recorded program.

My Recordings screen

Enter a channel number.

Quick Tips and Shortcuts

RECORD

To record a program that is currently playing, press the RECORD button and follow the on-screen instructions.

DVR

Press the DVR button twice to quickly access your recorded programs.

SKIP FWD / SKIP BACK

To skip ahead 24 hours in the Program Guide, press the SKIP FWD button. To back up 24 hours, press the SKIP BACK button.

RECORD

To quickly set an event timer, press the RECORD button from either the Program Guide or the Browse Banner.